There has ween a good response from friendly countries. Generally speaking all countries are for Pakistan and India to resolve their differences peacefully by meeting bilaterally as provided under the Simla Agreement and not to try to internationalise the issues and make solutions difficult.

(b) The composition of the Indian official delegation to Geneva is as fol-lOWSn

1. Dr. Manmohan Singh. Minister of Finance.

2. Shri Atal Bihari Vajpaye, MP.

3. Shri Salman Khursheed, Minister of State for External Affairs.

4. Dr. L. M Singhvi, High Commisskuer of India to UK.

5. Dr. Farooq Abdu'ilab.

6. Suit. Sujata Manohar, Chief Justice of Bombay High Court

7. Shri M. H. Ansari, P. R., New York.

8. Ms. M. Manimekalai, First Secretary, PMI, New York

9. Ms. Savitri Kunadi, JS(UN).

10. Shri T. N. Kaul.

11. Shri Mohanlal Cheragi.

12. Shri B. C. Misra.

13. Shri Prakash Shah, Ambassador of India, Tokyo.

14. Shri V. K. Grover, OSD(SU).

15. Shri Satish Chandra, P. R. Geneva,

16. Officers of Permanent Missioa of India in Geneva.

**Container services to Europe**

*205. MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Shipping Corporation of India (S.C.I.) proposes to resume container services to Europe; and

(b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) and (b) The Shipping Corporation of India Limited has already resumed its exclusive container service in January, 1994 from India, with voyages commencing from Jawaharlal Nehru Port, to meet the growing demand of India/ Europe. trade.

The Shipping Corporation of India has aquired three Cellular Container Vessels for this purpose. The vessels will call at selected Ports in U.K. and in North Continent. The trade to hinterland will either be served by feedering or through road transport. On return voyage the vessels will serve the Indian sub-continent trade from U.K. and North Continent as also trade to Saudi Arabia and Jordan.

**Busting militants hide-outs**

*206. CHOWDHRY HARI SINGH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of militants killed or apprehended and the details of the militants' hide-outs busted, in connection with, anti-terrorism operations during the past three months; and

(b) the assessment of success achieved in these operations?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN): (a) and (b) The information received from the States of Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu and Kashmir, Manipur Nagaland, Punjab, Uttar Pradesh and Tripura is given in the annexed statement, which is laid on the Table of the House (See below). The Governments of Bihar, Maharashtra, Mizoram; West Bengal and Delhi are yet to send their replies. The remaining States have reported 'nil' information.

2. The Security Forces have maintained sustained pressure against the militants and have succeded in arresting/ killing a large number of them and in recovering huge quantities of fire arms, ammunition and explosives. Surveillance is continued to be enforced along the International Borders as well as in the hinterland. An institutionalised system of security coordination between the Central and State agencies has also been established.

**Statement**

*The number of militants killed or apprehended and the details of the militants' hide-outs busted in connection w th anti-terrorism operations during the past three months; and*

| Name of the State | No. of Militants | | Details of hide-outs raided and other related incidents | Items seized |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Killed | Apprehended | | |
| 1. Andhra Pradesh . . . . . | 23 | 494 | On 3-11-93, PWG den at Bangalore was raided. | Several incriminating documents were seized from PWG. On 3-11-93, cash of Rs. 6.62 lakhs, Indria Vikas Patras for Rs. 10,000/- and Sreeram Investments for Rs 50,000/-, 3.6 Kg of Gold, 1 AK– 47 rifle, 1040 rounds of AK– 47, 20 rounds of 380, 40 rounds of 4mm pistols, 1 Colour TV, 1 VCR, 40 video cassettes were recovered |
| | | | On 29-11-1993, State Police raided a premises in Huzurabad in Karimnagar district. | On 29-11-93, A.P. Police seized 3.5 lakhs Rupees from Diggoni Rama Rao, Managing Partner of Surya Finance, Co., Huzurabad. |
| | | | On 6th and 7th January, 1994, Police raided a Poultry Farm and a house at Huzurabad and Keshavpatnam. | On 6/7-1-94, Police seized Rs. 8.37 lakhs IDL Electronic detonators, 4,00,000 I.C. Detonators, 1,12,500 Premier Electronic Detonators, 2800 Noble Geletines, 90,000 IDL ordinary detonators and 1,75,000 coils of electric fuse. |
| 2. Assam . . . . . | 9 | 134 | | State Police recovered 46 weapons and 13 number of vehicles from ULFA and 3 Nos, of weapons from RB S F. Police nabbed 11 ULFA leaders and 2 B.S.F. activitists. |
| 3. Himachal Pradesh . . . . . | 1 | – | unidentified Kashmiri militant was killed in an encounter on 10-11-93 at Khundi Moral of Chamba district. | |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
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| 4. Jammu & Kashmir. . . . | Over 350 | Over 1250 | | |
| 5. Manipur . . . . . | 11 | 282 | On the night of 18/19 Nov, 1993, a combined team of Army and Police raided a hide-out of both the Hills and Valley extremists at Oklu Village, Distt. Chandel and arrested 2 hardcore NSCN members and 2 prepak members.<br><br>On 25-2-94, 3 KGP members hurled hand grenades towards the Police party at Nambol Utrapat. When Police returned fire, one of them was killed. | |
| 6. Nagaland . . . . . | 32 | 86 | | 25 Nos of arms/weapons seized |
| 7. Punjab . . . . . | 50 | 112 | | |
| 8. Uttar Pradesh . . . . . | 3 | 5 | | State Police recovered3 AK– 56 rifles, 2 SLRs, 1CPMG, revolver and huge quantity of ammunition. |
| 9. Tripura . . . . . | 11 | 7 | On 9-11-93, Police staff headed by SDPO, Lungtharai Valley raided a hide-out of NLFT at Longtharai under Manu PS, on 29-1-94, o/c Taidu PS and ozc, OMPI PS. conducted raid in a ATTF hide out at Tiprapara under OMPI PS. | On 9-11-93, Police recovered 5 Nos. of 303 rounds and 500 gms Gun Powder from Longtharai valley<br><br>On 29-1-94, at Tiprapara PS recovered one country made Gun, 50/60 Nos of Barrels of Gun and Wrist Watch etc. |